

HOUSE BILL 3624

By Odom

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2,
relative to prohibiting the use of social security
numbers in voter registration.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-2-116(c), is amended by deleting the following language:

5. Social Security number, if any_____

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-2-116, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

(e) If a social security number appears on any permanent registration record created prior to the effective date of this act, it shall be redacted before any dissemination of that registration is made.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-2-124, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

(e) Under no circumstances shall a social security number be placed on a voter registration card or used as an identifying number on such card.

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-2-127, is amended by deleting subsection (b) and substituting instead the following language:

(b) Nothing in subsection (a) shall be construed to limit the public's access to that record.

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-6-202(a)(3), is amended by deleting subdivision (C) and redesignating remaining subdivisions accordingly.

SECTION 6. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-7-112(a)(2), is amended by deleting the language “social security number or registration number” and substituting instead the language “registration number”.

SECTION 7. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-7-112(a)(3)(A)(iii), is amended by deleting the language “social security number,”.

SECTION 8. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.